GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
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REPORT CARD
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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether his ministry has published its three year report card; and

(b) if so, the main features thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

(a) and (b): The Ministry has not published any three years report card. However, Annual reports are regularly published which include, among others, various activities undertaken by it. A Tourism Policy has been formulated recently to generate new dynamism in the development of tourism in the country. Other initiatives taken during the last one year are:

? To synthesise the elements of tourism, culture and clean civic governance and to create new hubs which would act as a pace-setter for the entire country.
? To present to the country a new work culture and result-oriented style of governance
? To give special emphasis on domestic tourism and to create a vast infrastructure.
? To give special attention to remote, backward and rural areas.
? To evolve a framework in which public and private sectors effectively coordinate their activities and establish workable linkages.
? To provide a new deal for ancient and protected monuments and to bring new monuments/sites of historic and cultural significance under protection.
? To promote India as a Conference Tourism destination by successfully holding of PATA conference.